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Title: Low Complexity and Low Power FEC Supporting High Speed
Parallel Decoding of Syndrome-Based FEC Codes

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is the following document relating to the above-identified patent application:

- (1) Notice of Appeal;
- (2) Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review; and
- (3) Memorandum in Support of Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review.

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